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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Bryan L. Ackerman)

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR APPLICATION OF A
MATERIAL TO A SUBSTRATE)

Group Art Unit: 1734)

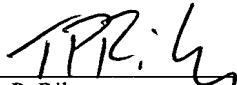
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AMENDMENT B

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office action dated March 1, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.